



## Stanley Willson Nyswonger Jr

August 14, 1943 - November 30, 2017

A void will be felt by the passing of my soul mate, high school sweetheart, and loving husband, Stanley Willson Nyswonger. After poking his finger with a sharp needle several times a day for nearly 50 years, Type I Diabetes and related issues finally won the life battle. His care at the Bartlesville Health & Rehab and with Comforting Hands Hospice led him to a peaceful departure on November 30, 2017 at the age of 74.

Mr. Nyswonger was born on August 14, 1943 in Chickasha, Oklahoma to Stanley Willson Nyswonger, Sr. and Mary Jane (Spencer) Nyswonger. He moved to Topeka, Kansas with his family and attended Topeka High School, where he was once a high school wrestling champion and where he met his high school sweetheart, Penny. After graduation, he served in the United States Marine Corps through Naval Flight Training.

Mr. Nyswonger received his Bachelors' Degree in Business with a minor in Marketing from Long Beach State University in California. He had a long career in sales, working for prestigious companies such as Dr. Scholls' and Xerox. He also served as an Information Officer for the Post Master General at the Los Angeles Federal Post Office, where he helped establish and promote Express Mail, which at the time was a new product for the US Post Office.

Stanley is survived by his wife, Penny (Nichols) Northrop-Nyswonger; sister, Stana Jane (Nyswonger) Palubinski; brother, Steve Nyswonger and wife Faith; nieces, Ketti Dawson & Faith Novack; nephews, Jeremy Palubinski and

wife Kristy, Matt Nyswonger and wife Krissy, Luke Nyswonger and wife Kelly; and his stepsons Michael Northrop and wife Tami and Mark Northrop and wife Jenny; grandchildren of Penny: Kendal Rose, Brady, and Nathan.

A memorial service will be held at the Stumpff Funeral Home Chapel on Wednesday, December 6, 2017 at 2:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be sent to Comforting Hands Hospice LLC, 1366 SE Washington Blvd, Suite A, Bartlesville, OK 74006.

Friends and loved ones who wish may leave condolence messages and sign the online guest book at [www.stumpff.org](http://www.stumpff.org).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Stanley Willson Nyswonger Jr*

October 23, 2023 at 04:40 AM



“ *Stanley Willson Nyswonger Jr*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *I met Stan in 1965 at Naval Air Station Memphis. I had just enlisted i was 18*

*Stan was very smart and very handsome and very funny. He had a girlfriend named Penny*

*I felt sad reading about his passing*

**Aileen Oliver** - April 22, 2019 at 11:19 AM



“ *I remember both Stan and Penny from our classes together at Topeka High. Still a beautiful couple in their photo! As an Air Force retiree and the brother of a Marine helicopter pilot, a Navy seal, and an Army NCO, I more than appreciate Stan's service to our country. May peace be with you, Penny and your family.*

**Robert (Bob) Armstrong** - December 09, 2017 at 09:50 AM



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**Stumpff Funeral Home & Crematory** - December 06, 2017 at 11:11 AM

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“ *My memories of my Uncle Stan are incredible and joyous. I have always been mesmerized with his presence & his free spirit. Although it unfortunate, I didn't get to spend a lot of time with him. But the wonderful stories my mother has told me throughout the years & continues to tell me of my uncle's adventures, struggles & achievements make me feel like I have spent my whole life with him. Thank you Penny for loving my Uncle. I love you Mom & Uncle Steve.*

*All my love & sympathy,*

*Faith*

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**Faith (Palubinski) Novak** - December 04, 2017 at 10:36 PM

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“ *I have many fond memories of Uncle Stan. From the books he bought me as a child, the visits he made from California and the guitars he would play. He was there for me in significant times in my life with words of comfort. He made a difference in my life. I loved him and am glad he spent the last part of his life with the love of his life. Because "all you need is love". -Ketti*

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**Ketti Dawson** - December 04, 2017 at 09:06 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Stanley Willson Nyswonger Jr.*



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December 04, 2017 at 12:19 PM